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JAPAN.

Report from Yokohama.

YOKOHAMA, JAPAN, March 3, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith an abstract of the bills of health issued at this office during the week ended March 1, 1902. Three ships were inspected with 281 crew, 31 cabin passengers, and 514 steerage passengers. Four hundred and forty-two persons were bathed and had their baggage disinfected. For the week stated there have been 2 cases of typhoid fever and no deaths, and 6 cases of diphtheria with 2 deaths. No quarantinable disease has been reported.

Respectfully,

J. SPENCER HOUGH,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H.S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL, U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Report from St. John.

St. John, New Brunswick, April 3, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to report that during the week ended March 25, 1902. the following vessels and their crews were inspected by me at this port: Steamships, 3; schooners, 8; seamen, 170.

Respectfully,

T. DYSON WALKER, United States Medical Inspector.

The Surgeon-General, U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Inspection of immigrants at Halifax and St. John.

HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA, March 29, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to report that for the week ended March 29, there were inspected 339 immigrants; passed, 332; detained, 7. * * * During the week ended March 29, there were inspected at the port of St. John, New Brunswick, 10 immigrants; passed, 10; detained, none.

Respectfully,

VICTOR G. HEISER, Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON GENERAL, U.S. Marine-Hospital Service.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Quarantine transactions for January, 1902.

MANILA, P. I., February 21, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to hereby submit report of the quarantine transsactions of the quarantine service for the Philippine Islands for the month of January, 1902, as follows:

PORT OF MANILA.

Bills of health issued—	
To United States ports	3
To foreign ports.	43
To domestic ports	210
Total	256